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Dear Sir or Madam:

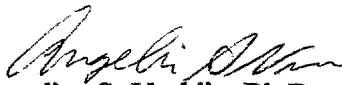
This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Fish Oil supplements under the Naturalist label:

Ingredients: Vitamin E, Fish Oil (EPA, DHA)

- Our Cholesterol Free Fish Oil contains eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA) and docosahexaenoic acid (DHA), two fatty acids that help support and maintain the health of your cardiovascular system.
- Omega-3 fatty acids are considered one of the "good" fats important for cellular, heart and metabolic health.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,


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